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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of : Gibson, Mark  
Serial No. : 09/751,058  
Filed : December 29, 2000  
For : Traffic Routing and Signalling in a  
Connectionless Communications Network  
Examiner : Moore, Ian N  
Art Unit : 2661  
Customer number : 23644

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED NOVEMBER 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2004**

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks

PO Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir,

In response to the Office Action mailed November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2004, it is requested  
that the application be amended as follows: